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Hongkong, May 4, 1895.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA.

WILLIAM SNELLING, late of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong,

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A N Interim BONUS of TWENTY-FIVE A PER CENT, upon Confibutions for the Year 1894 has been declared. WARRANTS will be Issued on the 29th

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Port on THURSDAY, the 30th Mey. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

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The Steamship Riceigang,
Capt. Dawson, will be
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The Steamship Nanyang. Captain F. Sonorz, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 20th Inst.,

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For Freight or Passage, apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Honghong, May 17, 1895.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

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The Co.'s Steamship Capt. J. Young, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 21st Instant, at Noon, and not as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, May 16, 18, 5. OCKAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SANDAKAN AND KUDAT.

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Catalogues will be issued.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, May 15, 1-25.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruc-tions to Sell by Public Auction, on

Yosonama, LANE, ORAWFORD & Co., THURSDAY. the 23rd May, 1895, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, (For Sundry Accounts),

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HONGKONG. In the Matter of the Estate of GEORGE

NT OTICE is hereby given that the Honourable the Acring Onier Justice having, in virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 1870, made an Order limiting to the 23RD MAY, 1895, the time for sending in

before the said date. Dated the 30th March, 1895. CHARLES F A. SANGSTER,

CHAMPAGNE GROWERS AND

HALL & HOLTZ, LIMITED.

TERTIFICATE No. 36 for 10 SHARES in this Company (Nos. 841 to 850) Unless the CERTIFICATE be presented to

By Order, W. HAYWARD, Secretary.

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A. W. WALKINSHAW. Hongkong, May 13, 1895.

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Hongkong, May 18, 1890,

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Hengkong, May 16, 1890,

Captain H. N. VYYYAN, will be despatched as

## Entertainment.

HONGKONG SMOKING CONCERT CLUB. THE Third CONCERT will be held in

the THEATRE ROYAL, City Hall, THIS EVENING, 18th lust., at 9.15 p.m. Chairman : -F. HENDERSON, Esq. J. D. LAPRAIK, -Hon, Secreta y.

Hongkong, May 18, 1895

## To-day's Advertisements.

NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

WE Have This Day Handed over the AGENCY of the above Company to Mesars. SIEMSSEN & Co. SCHEELE & Co.

NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

Hongkong, May 18, 1895.

WE Hereby beg to notify that This | GENERAL AGENTS for the above Com-

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, May 18, 1805.

THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY LIMITED. NOTICE.

IMENDERS for 700 Ordinary SHARES with \$3.75 PALD-UP and for 1,500 81 Preference SHARES are invited by the Directors to be sent in on or before 10 o'clock on the 1st DAY OF JUNE NEXT, to the Undersigned at the Company's OFFICE, Connaught House, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. The following Conditions to be observed :--

I .- The Tenders to be made upon Forms which may be had on applicati n, and must be addressed Tender for Shares. 2. -The Tenders may be for all or part of

the above Number of Shares, and must be accompanied by a Payment of 25 % of the amount tendered. 3. -In case of Registered Shareholders and Non-Shareholders tendering on equal

terms, Shareholders will have the Pre-4.-Payment in full to be made at the Company's Office within 24 hours after notice of Allotment has been given, otherwise the Allotment may be can-

5. -The Tenders will be opened at Noon, on SATURDAY, the 1st day of Jone next, in the presence of the Board of Directors, and Letters of Allotment will thereupon be issued.

6. -The Company do not bind themselvesto accept the highest or any Tender. By Order, JAMES B. DUNCAN,

Secretary. Hongkoug, May 18, 1895.

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THE LIGHTS O' LONDON.' Wednesday-May 21st-Wednesday, THE MODERN SOCIETY COMEDY

THE SECOND MRS. TANQUERAY. Thursday-May 23rd-Thursday.

THE CASE OF REBELLIOUS SUSAN. - Friday-May 24th-Friday. Benefit to MISS GRACE HAWTHORNE. VICTORIES SARDOU'S SENSATIONAL PLAY. THEODORA,

Saturday-May 25th-Saturday GRAND TRIPLE BILL. Prices as Usual. Soldiers and Salors in Uniform half-price to Back Seats only. Doors open at 8.30 p.m., commencing at 9

after the Performance. Box Office at Mesers, Kelly & Warsen. Hongkong, May 18, 1895.



ORDER FOR WEER ENING 25TH MAT, 1895. FIELD BATTERY.

No. 260 .- PROMOTIONS .- The ACTING COMMANDANT has been plessed to approve of the following promotions: dated 4.10.94. geant, dated 4.10.94.

dated 4.10.01. No. 118,-Gr. McPHail to be Corporal, dated 4.10.94. Sergt. J. COYLE to be Battery Quarter-

Master Sergeant. Gunner J. BREMNER to be Sergeant. Gunner H. PURCELL to be Corpore I. MACHINE GUN COMPANY. No. 266. - PROMOTIONS. - H.E. the

Governor has been pleased to approve of the following appointments, dated 1st May, bo Lieutenant.

No. 267 .- RESIGNATIONS .- 7. 12. the GOVERNOR has been pleased to approve of the resignation of Captain W. H. E. Mun-BAY, A.D.C., as Captain Commanding 'A Machine Gan Corps on his quitting the Colony on 1st May, 1895. No. 268.—PROMO IONS.—The Com-

mandant has been pleased to approve of the following promotions, from 1st May,

Gunner SMYTH to be Corporal. Gunner Fullerion to be Corporal. No. 269.-JOINED.-Gunner S. A

Gunner J. Hoopen joined 16.5.95 and assigned Corps No. 139, and assigned Corps No. 140. GENERAL.

rehearsal Parade for the QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY For STRAITS & CALCUTTA:-PARADE on the 20th Inst. on RAGEGOURSE. Parade at HEAD QUARTERS at 4 30 p.m. Goes will be taken to and from Parade by Coolis Draught. The QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY PARADE is expected to take place on 24th Inst. Fuller details as to hour of Parade. Uniform, ele., for both Parades will be For SIRAITS & UALCUTTA .-

By Grder, C. MURRAY ADAMSON, Capt, and Acting Adjutant, H.R. V.C.

Hongkong, May 18, 1890. BHIPPING.

May 17 1-Ere, British steamer, 1 308, H. W. Poll. R. N.R., Saigon May 13, Rice., &c. - Dob-

May 18 !-

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Spigping.

Daylight, -- Namoa leaves for Coast Ports. Daylight .- Siam leaves for Kobe, &c.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Shipping. Kneigang leaves for Chefoo and Tientsin. Meeting.

9 p.m. - Meeting of Victoria Preceptory and Priory. Amusements.

Miscellaneous. Goods per Marquis Bacquehem undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Braemar undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Arratoon Apcar undelivered after this date landed.

### General Memoranda.

The N. P. s.s. Sikh, from Tacoms, left TUESDAY, May 21 :--Goods per Steamer Oceanien unolaimed after Noon subject to rent. M. Armstrong's. 9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall. THURBDAY, May 22:--

9 p.m.-Meeting of Victoria Lodge. THURSDAY, May 23:-2.30 p.m.-Auction of Sundry Household Furniture, &c., at Mr J. M. Armstrong's. Goods per Specialist undelivered after

this date subject to rent .. FRIDAY, May 24:---Goods per Aglaia undelivered after this date subject to rent.

MONDAY, May 27:-9 p.m. -Convocation of Victoria Chapter. SATURDAY, June 1:---Noon. - Tenders for Shares of The Punjom Mining Co., Ltd., open.

## Quotations.

Hongkong, May 18, 1895. OPIUM-New Patna, cash,... 780 New Benarcs, cash, 770 New Maiws, credit, Allowance... Taels..... Old: Malwa, credit,. Allowance, Taels,... Persian, Oily, cash, . | 2 .. Allowance, Taels,...

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HONGKONO, BATURDAY, MAY 18, 1895. LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :-- Benlumond, Athole, March 29; Hazel Branch. April 2 Shenghing, Renown, 16; Kaisow, 26 Glenenk, Palinurus, Java, 30; Altmore, 9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall.

E. Simons, May 3. -larig,-Carmarth ushire, Spoudilus, 10.

O. & O. s. s. Coptic, with the AMERI can Mait of April 23, left Nagasaki on Thursday, May 16, at 5 p.m. and may be expected here on or about Monday, May 20.

via Kobe. 2.30 p.m.-Auction of Jewellery, at Mr | The P. M. s. s. City of Rio de Janeiro left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama and Nagasaki, on May 4.

Yokohama on May 11, for Hongkong,

The Empress of China left Vancouver for this port on May 13. The s. s. Glamorganshire left Singapore on May 15, and may be expected here on

or about May 21. ne P. & O. s.s. Java left London for this port on April 14.

The P. & O. s. s. Ceulon left London for this port on May 4. ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'

CATHEDRAL. - OTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER,

19TH MAY. 11 a.m.: - Matina. - Venite & Pealma, Old Melody, Lawes, King; Te Doum & Benedictus, 95, Boyton Smith; Anthem, 46, 'Thine O lord ;' Kyrie, No. 1, Tours; Hymn, 140, (ist tune); Ofiertory Sentences, 1 & 3, Barnby. 12 noon :- Holy Communion.

6.45 p.m.: - Evensong. - Psalms, Fussell Battishill, Hayes; Magnificat & Nuno Dimittis, 139, Bounett; Anthem, 105, "Hear the voice and prayer;' Hymne, 28I, 232, (2nd tune.) UNION CHURCH.—SUNDAY, MAY 19.

Morning Service :- Voluntary, Blest are the departed, Spohr; Hymn, No. 8. (1st Tune, ('Decrhurst,') Langran; Hymn, No. 295, (Franconia), German: Hymn, No. 274, (Trust), Torrance; Paalm, No. 28, (Double Chant). Lunton: Anthem. No. 8. Turn thy face from my sins, Attwood; Concluding Voluntary, Lieder Ohne Worte,' (Funeral), Mendeleschu.

(1st Tune, Vox delecti), Dyken ; Hymn, beauty. No. 487, (1st Tube, Ellers), Hopkins; be glad, Grell; Cone nding Voluntary, 'O Death, where is thy sting,' Brown. WESLEYAN METHODIST CRURCH. -- SUNDAY,

10.30 a.m :-- Hymns, 586, 823, 675, 741. 6 p.m.: Hymns, 342, 474, 494, 428; Psalms, XC-XCII.

W. Robinson and Company. Ir is in contemplation to start a Revolver

Club an ngst the officers of the Singspore

WE are advised by the Secretary of the

Punjom Mining Company Limited of the receipt of a telegram from Mr Blamey to the That the Honourable Thomas Whitehead effect that 'the new process is now at work.' thus saving all intermediate profits and THE consecration of Bishop Luiggi Pi zzoli

as the Prelate and Vicar Apostolic of the Catholic Mission of Hongkong, will take place to murrow morning, at 7.30 o'clock, in the Roman Catholic Cathedral, Gionoaly. On Sunday morning, between 0 and 10.30

welock, the steam-launch Dayspring, carry. ing the Bothel flig, will call alongside any vessel hoisting code punnant C., to convey men ashore to 11 s.m. service at St. Peter's (Seamen's) Church, returning about 12.30.

VESSELS IN THE DOCKS :- At Kowloon-Irene, Spanish cruisor Reina Cristina, Mongkut, Solent, Stanfield, H.M.S. Undaunted, T. icheong.

Cosmopolitan-Verona, Riversdale. Aberdien-(none.)

the genue product of the juice of THE final in the championship ties of the Tennis Tournament was played this afternoon between Mr C. Platt and Mr C. M. made from raisins and currents, as Firth. Platt was altogether out of form, and the result was an easy victory for

THE Rainfall for the past winter shows a remarkable similarity to that of the winter to be pur Cognac, the difference in of 1893-4. The following figures are taken from the Kowloon Observatory returns :--Oct. Nov. Dec. Jan. Feb. Mar. Apl. 17.87 .03 .04 .89 .58 .27 2.49

Winter 1894-5 17. 67 .03 .78 .41 .83 1.39 2.61 Average 4.78 .81 1.21 1.67 1.78 4.08 7.58 It is to be haped that the correspondence may be continued to the present month: in May last year the rain started about the pre-Whisky arked 'E' is universally sent time with 2.05 inches on the 16th, 1.68 on the 17th and 6.18 on the 18th, the total for the month amounting to 20,01 inches.

> New Zealand is the home of surprises. We quote from the Morning Post the following startling account of the Duke of Wellington, written by a candidate for a scholarship in a New Zealand school |---

Wellington was at a ball in Peris when a letter pame to him that the enemy were walting for him. He heard the cannon roaring, and he knew at once what it meant, because his father was killed in battle. Then rushing out into the midst of the enemy, he was struck by a cannon ball and fell dead on the spot. The people torned pale at the sad sight after being so merry and happy, and he soon fell into mistortene.

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> TERNIS players may be interested in learn. ing that the majority of English tennis players appear to be in favour of the proposed new rule making every ball that touches the top of the net during play a · let,' thue making it necessary to play the whole point over again. It is thought that the rule will do away with an unnequesary element of chance without unduly prolonging the game.

This story about India is good as illustrating the dignity which surrounds the Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel :- A lady at an up-country station, India, wrote to the HOMEWARD BOUND:-Monmouthshire, April Military Medical Officer :- "Dear Dr. 16; Malacca. 23; Bayern. Glenorchy, \_\_\_\_, I am sorry to say baby has a gumboil, Elax, Aden, 30; I. ion, May 3; Bent | would you kindly come over and bring your lancet." She received in reply a memo to the effect there was no such person as Dr - in the station; but she was equal to the occusion, and wrote:- "Dear Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel----, Sorry to tell you baby, has a gumboil; would you kindly come over and bring your aword!""

> NEW Piano Repairing Machinery arrived for W. Robinson and Company.

THE SHROPSHIRES AND THE

PLAGUE. The following letters have been forwarded to us by Mr T. Scroombe Smith, Hon. Secretary to the Plague Recognition Sub-Committee :--

Fort William. Calcutta, April 26. Dear Mr Sercombe Smith, I received your letter and also the letter of thanks on the 22ad inst., and the plate

arrived vesterday. The letter of thanks to me was quite unexpected, but I can assure you I greatly appreciate it, and value it most highly. I now write to thank the Plague Recognition Committee, and through them the community of Hongkong, for their expression of good-will and kindly feeling both to the Regiment and myself. Both the letter of thanks and the silver bowl will always be highly valued both by myself and family, and will often recall many pleasant days and a happy three years spent with my Regiment in Hungkong.

Trusting the future may bring prosperity to the Colony,-Believe me, yours sincerely, -F. W. Robinson, Lieut-Col., Commanding 1st Shropshire L. 1 T. Sercombe Smith, Esq., Secretary, Plague

Recognition Committee.

Fort William, Calcutta.

Dear Mr Sercombe Smith, I write on behalf of the Officers of the Begiment to thank the Plague Recognition p.m.: - Voluntary, Comfort the soul of Committee, and through them the communithy servant, Orotch; Hymn, No. 196, ty of Hongkong, for the very handsome (Antelia), Wesley; Hymn, No. 53, pieces of plate, presented to the Mess, which (Hesperus). Baker : Bymn, No. 109, Lare admired by everyone for their shape and

The vases will always be a record of the Anthem, No. 6. The Righteons shall | good feeling that existed between the Civil Community and the Regiment during the Plague work, and also a souvenir of three pleasant years passed by the Shropshire L. I. in Hongkong during which time we all made many friends that we hope to meet again either at Home or in the East. On behalf of the Regiment I also thank the community for the Challenge Footbal Cup for which the competition is now going 12 SPOOND BAND Plants wanted for Export | on, and the different games are being keenly contested by the different Companies, all of whom are anxious to win it. The whole

Regiment turds out to watch each match. I will write again when the Sergeants' shield arrives and the medule from England. -Believe me, yours sincerely, F. W. Robinson, Lieut. Col.,

Comm ading Shropshire L. I. FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR is fighting our cause in England, and

whether bi-metallism or municipal representation there is no question that he is on the right track. That I endeavoured to answer the so-called arguments of The Times a week or two ngo, in an off-hand way, because we in Hongkong who know what is what, think

it hardly necessary to combat arguments which we don't believe can have any real existence. That if the Hon T. H. Whitehead thinks it really necessary to meet such arguments at Home, then I fancy some sinister influ-

ence must be at work somewhere in this connection. That the notion assumed by the writer in the Times, that representation would be unequal, is purely imaginary, and the

Hop. Thomas has put it very tersely in his antithesis. That the assumption of the Times, that we ever asked for representation in the ordinary sense of taxation, is a pure fiction. That as I have formerly said, any one who put it so was either a fool or a misguided man-a fool, because he ignored the peculiar conditions of a Grown Colony; or a misguided man, because he apparently

desired to misrepresent the honest aspira-

tions of the British taxpayer of Hong-

That Mr Whitehead deserves every credit for his endeavours to back up the rights of Hongkong, for it seems to me there are very few who are ready to 'do the ami-

able for the colony. That the Senitary Board flasco has given additional emphasis to the situation, because the last remnant of our 'say' in the municipal life (or death) of the colony has

been alumsily removed. That I see you lament the indifference shown by the Hongkong residents to the elimi nation of the unofficial element from the class Plane Tuning and Repairing. Sanitary Board,

That there is nothing occult about this result, as it is explained by the fact that the profficial members. of Council and the Chamber of Commetes Committee were led to commit themselves; and then all was plain for the Government.

That the public, which is supposed to be pertially represented by these bodies, has no mode of expressing itself | indeed, it has waited so long to be voiced by some leading man, that it has begun to mistake the to velled leading man for its own voices

That of course, you know, we are all so busy thinking of our own affairs, that we have no time to devote to the leading role, although we swear at lairge when we bave a spare moment.

That after over thirty years 'experience, I have no heritation in saying we have less representation now than we had a quarter

of a century ago, That it is the exception, and not the rule, that any one who is supposed to represent the people has the courage of his opinions. That I see the Kowloong Matshed has to be removed, whether the Godown Company's civil letter has been answered or not.

That the Magistrate had to carry out the law, even if he could not instil the instincts of common civility into the membors or heads of the P. W.D. That I was told the other day the respected

Secretary of the Godown Co. had got fourteen days.

That I thought this was very hard, and resolved to see justice done, --- when I was naively informed he had got fourteen days' to remove his matched. That he has evidently got more than four-

teen days during which to look for a civil answer to a civil letter-an answer which the Magistrate thought he ought to have received. That this peculiar fact only shows that the

P. W. D. is above all rules of common courtesy and of common law, and seems to be able to do as seemeth good in its .own eyes.

That either the laws or the staff require extensive amendment, alteration, orcheck; but no one seems to be strong enough to undertake the task.

That while Manila is behaving, as usual, like a frightened child over the Plague scare, and the highly-enlightened British Dependency of Singapore is following suit, it is exceedingly creditable to the Executive of Hongkong that we keep clear of plague with a comparative minimum of quarantine restrictions. That our local Government has been blamed

for not issuing earlier official notification of the conclusion of peace between Ohina and Japan. That perhaps H. B. M. Minister was so busy patching up the remnants of the peace,

that he forgot all about the commercial

interests at Hongkong and the ports. That it was wonderful, considering the remutation which Mr O'Conor was supposed to have established, that he let eight or nine days pass before letting us know; and this is still more wonderful when it is believed that, had he not been telegraphed to, he might got have said a

word even yet, That the withdrawal of all the restrictions connected with the Foreign Enlietment Act might naturally have followed this official news.

That we have not yet had any official copy of the Tresty, and are consequently ignorant of the exact effect which may result to our relations with China and

That while I cannot help admiring the

dignity and disinterestedness which have

marked the action of Great Britain in this crisis, it does seem as if the existence of British trade in the Far East has been dropped out of mind by the British Gova That it may not be out of the way to find France- making more fusa than Great Britain in this part of the world; but it is

a little strange to find everybody caking

what Great Britain intends to do. That the larger question as to what China is to do, comes as a conundrum still. That I am very much afraid Sir Robert Hart-whom I have already dubbed the regenerator of China-will have quite enough to do to collect the judgmnity, for

the next three years. That an Empire which needs regeneration. from a fiscal point of view to begin with. cannot begin to reform with any degree of comfort while a debt of say four hundred million deliars rests upon its respusoes. That the I. G. will do well if he sees the Sick Man through that indemnity ordest

- to begin with. That any reform upon the rottenness of the official system in Chine, and the awakening of the ruling powers to a sense of responeibility, must come later on.

ly instrumental in saving China, and I only hope he will be spared long enough to help the Empire to turn over a new That the God help us of the Plague prophots has turned into expressions of

That I hear Sir Robert Hart hee been great-

thankfuluess that, so far, we have been preserved from Plague. That it must be stated, in fairness to the work done by the Sanitary R and, that Hongking now does not look like Hongkung a year ago.

That Hongkong is: now a paradise compared to what it was, and it is fervently hoped it may not provide a hanting ground for the scourge this year,

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Chafon and Lieutsin.	Kweiyang (a)	1	May 20.
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Kaha and Vakahams	Siam (s)		May 19, daylight.
Livernool, v. Manila	Barcelopa (a)	I	
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London	Formosa (a)	P. & O. S. N. On	. About June 2.
Margailles & Saigar	Natol (a)	Messageries Maritime	May 29, at noon.
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Shanghai	Pekin (a)	P. & U. O. M. Ohm.	Ahout June 2.
S'pore, Penang & C't	t. Wingsang (s)	Jardine, Matheson&U	May 21, at noon.
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Suntow Amor &c.	'Namoa (s)	Douglas Lapraik & Uo	.May 19, day ight.
Vancouver (B.C.)	:  Стрговно Лерец (8	Canadian Plic R. Co.	May 22, at noon.
Victoria (B.O.). Sec.	Strothnevis (a	Nor. P'bo S. & R. Co.	June 4, at neon.
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Sergeant MAITLAND to be Colour Ser-Corporal C. Firth to be Sergeant. -Corporal H. A. S. Thompson to be Acting | For SHANGHAL .-

DEACON joined 16.5.95 and assigned Corps Gunner J. C. Cameron joined 16.5.95 No. 270. - PARADES. -There will be a

circulated in Express form.

ARRIVALS.

Mogrania, Brillish glazmer, from Canton

Frejr, Danish steamer, 397, C. L. Strand Pakhoi May 15, and Hoihow 17, General. -A. R. MARTY. Nanyany, German steamer, from Canton.

DEPARTURES.

Миу 18:-Activ, for Pakhoi. Omba, for Yokohama. Azamor, for Kobe. Rarenna, for Shanghai. Canton, for Swatow. Tacoma, for-Amog and Tacoma. Woosung, fer Shanghai.

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Per Canton, for Swatow, 35 Chinese.

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Per Activ, for Pakhoi, Mr Thompson,

Per Tocoma, for Tacoma, &c., 4 Europeans, and 18 Chinese. Per Taiyuan, for Sydney, 11 Chinese. Per Peru, for Nagasaki, Mr Callot, Mr Mallory and native servant, and 2 Japanese; for Kobe, 3 Japanese; for Yokohama, Mr as follows:-Jno. E. Owens, and 3 Chinese; for Loudon, Mr H. Lobell, Mr and M a C. C. Campbell; for Paris, Mr L. B st. Per Ranama, for Shanghai : from Hongtong, Mr C. Ewans ; from London, Mr and Mrs Heal and 4 children, Mr and Mrs Ken-

from Bombay, Messra Inglis, E. Raphael from Singapore, Mr Del Medico. To DEPART. Per Namon, for Swater, noo Chinese; for Frejr, for Holhow, 15 Chinese; for

Per Hongkong, für Haiphong, 25 Chinese.

EXPORT CARGOYS.

mure. Rev. and Mrs E. P. Hearnden, Mrs

Short and child. Mrs A. L. Hayward and 2

children from Brindisi, Mr Holmstrom

Per American ship St. David, sailed 28 1 April :- From Shaughai for New York, 281 bales Strawbraids and 49 bales Wool; from Hongkong for New York, 9,281 pkgs. Fire Crackets. 9 140 pkgs. Cassia, 6.037 rolls Marting, 032 pkgs. Rattaucore, 590 cases Ginger. 350 bales Strawbraids, 201 cases Blackwoodware, 50 osses Paper, 13 bales, ported in wood and bottled by ourselves. Oures and 70 pkgs, bundties. Per American ship Sachem, sailed 13th May :- For New York, 6,250 pkgs. Firecrac ers, 4.(4) tolls Matting, 3,000 bales Hemp, 2.000 bales Cassia, 1,000 bales MODERATE PRICES. Broken Oassia, 311 Hide Cuttings, 276 pkg . Rattanware, 178 cases Chinaware, 135 oas s Blackwoodware, 100 cases Saigon Cassia, 91 bales Strawbraid, 44 bales Goatruge, 25 casks Soy and 326 pkgs. Sundries. Per s s. Salozie, sailed 15 h May : - For

Chinaware, 2 cases Vermillion, 11 cases Cartons and Wood-boxes, 10 cases Feather, l case Hang Hang, 165 pkgs. Tea and 8 pkgs. Private Effects.

Continent, 245 bales Raw Silk, 27 bales

Hair, 8 cases Silk Piece Goods, 2 cares

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For CANTON.-Per Powan, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 19th inst.

For HOIHOW & PAKHOL -Per Frejr, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 30 deinst. For SWATOW, AMOY, FOOCHOW & TAMSUI.—

Per Namoa, at 8 30 a.m., on Monday,

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For SINGAPORE & BANGROK .-

For SAIGON .--

the 20th inst., instead of as previous-

For SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI & VLA-DIVUSTOCK .--Per Fort Adelaide, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday, the 20th inst. Per Nanyang, at 8.80 p.m., on Monday,

Per Holstein, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday,

For KOBE & YOKOHAMA,— Per Specialist, at 3 30 p.m., on Monday, the 20th inst. For YOKOHAMA & KOBE -Per Aglaia, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 20th inst. Per Wingsang, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday,

the 21st inst., instead of as pre-

Per Arrato a Apour, at 2.35 p.m., on Wednesday, the 22nd inst. For SANDAKAN & KUDAT .-For Memnon, at 3,30 p.m., on Thursday. the 28rd inst. Por NAGABAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA

Por Verona, at 9 p.m., on Bridey.

Registriction.-Correspondence, can be re-

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vistered for all Private Ship mails up to five minutes before the time for closing; for the Shanghai, or Yokchama contract mails, up to a marter of an hour before; for mails for Europe. &c., up to an hour before; American, Canadiana Indian, Northern Pacific and Torres Strait, Hengkong, Minis 7, 1666.

Agents at the Cat Ports.

SUPREME COURT IN ORIMINAL SESSIONS. -(Before Rie Honour Mr W. M. Goodman. Acting Chief Justice.) Saturday, May 18.

THE STEAM-LAUNCH FATALITY.

Chin Kee, engineer of the steam-launch Prudence, was brought up on a charge of causing the death of two Chinese seamen on board the Prudence on 4th inst. He pleaded not guilty.

Mr A. G. Wise (Acting Attorney General) stated that the two men were in the cabin, and in consequence of an escape of steam or scalding water from the boiler i they received such injuries that they died. The escape came through the sludge door, which was screwed down and confined in its place by a nut. There was a packing of asbestos or some similar material, and in this case the packing had been cut an eighth of an inch too long so that it did not lie flit on the flange and the escape therefore occurred There was no doubt that there was no gligence epmowhere, but on considering the whole of the evidence carefully he felt he would not be justified in asking the jury to any that the negligence was of such criminal character as would warrant a verdict of manalaughter against the prisoner. qui; but he felt bound to say the Magisvolved the death of two men, but in I this kind. He knew it was unusual for an tified him in taking this unusual course. There was only one other point. He saw attached to the original depositions there was a printed form referring to Ordinance 6 of 1864. As His Lordship knew, this Ordinance had been repeated for some time. It might be economical to use up these forms, but he did not think it was

committing for trial. It is clear law that the defendant may well be of negligence is for the Court and the jury to decide rather than the sonor, who offixed that packing to the that our capital is in silver. This means sludge door; but it has been noticed that that our purchasing power is reduced to the person most likely to be killed or in about one half; and you can hardly jured by an escape of steam was the engi- estimate the additional work that that neer himself who was attending to his en- throws upon the staff, to ensure that gines. I think it would perhaps be straining nothing comes on -which will "not be the law to say that the prisoner showedenough calpible negligence to justify the jury in convicting him of manslaughter. trust those who have the management of the time being incapacitated by illness of a the numerous steam launches in this Colony will take notice of this case and see that admostent engineers are employed to look after these seemingly trivial details, such as the packing of sludge doors, now that they | gret to say that we have lost two of them by see what terrible results may arise from want of care.

THE ALLEGED ASSAULT AT MACGREGOR

problamation.

The prisoner was then discharged by

BARRACKS. Jeffer Shah, guaner, Hongkong Artillery, was charged with committing an assault upon Corporal Mahomed Ali, with intent to do him grievous bodily harm, in Mac-

gregor Barracks on the 6th ult. The accused pleaded not guilty. The case for the Crown was conducted by Mr Wise, instructed by Mr A. B. Johnson (Orown Solicitor); the prisoner was question with regard to a subject the Chairdefended by Mr J. J. Francis, Q C., in-

atrunted by Mr J. F. Reace. The following jury was empanelled:-Messra D. K. Griffith, F. W. White, C. P. Karberg, F. Hubbe, A. Becker, D. Wood

and A. C. More. The Acting Attorney General opened the case by station the facts which are now familiar to the public. The complement was lying asleep when the prisoner is said. to have come up to him and atruck him a severe blow on the face with an iron chopper. Complainant stated that when he was awakened by the blow he saw the prisoner standing over him with the chopper in his hand. Evidence was then led.

The case stands adjourned till Monday morning at 10 o'cleck.

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THE uses of ashestos are almost innumerable. Ground fine and combined with colours and oils by a scoret process, it makes benefit. At the time I bought the whole a beautiful paint, which is said to go far of them it was with a view to the extension toward direproofing the surface to which it is of the business which then belonged to me. applied. Various kinds of roofing are also | That place at Kowloon has been held by made by treating strong canvas with a com- | the Company for a few years and it was bination of asbestos and felt, and backing it held by m . I suppose, for 15 or 20 years with Manila paper. It is extensively used before that. It was a place which Timfor roofs of factories, railroad shops, bridges, tended, should there ever be a town at steamhoat decks, and other places where Kowloon, as the spot where the branch of there is danger of fire. Ashestos is found | Messrs A. S. Wetson and Co. should be: in a good many hundreds of places in the land, at the same time, should the business world besides Itely and Canada, but the outgrow the possible limits of these fibres are nearly all too splintery and brittle. | business premises on this side of the Rich deposits have recently been found in | Harbour that it should extend over there Wyoming, California, and Montana, and the in its manufacturing and bottling depart-United States may soon come to the front as | ment. Now, the buttling department is a producer of the aubstance. In 1898 Cali. rapidly increasing. We have to take up fornia produced fifty tons of asbestos, valued, more apage for it every year. We cannot at 2,600 dols., while Canada sent out 6,473 take up more premises on the Queen's tons, valued at 313,806 dols. A good mine Road ; they will be too expensive. The of ashestos is more valuable than a gold shop under this is nearly \$200 per month. mine, and, as the substance becomes better | We have had to use it for packing | you known and more used. It will be still more, might say 'Why not pack outside I' but preplous. The time may not be far distant after very tareful consideration we came to when firemen will be clothed in suits made | the conclusion that we should probably be from appeaton. - Solantific American.

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LIVELY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS. The tenth general meeting of this Company was held at the Hongkong Dispensary this afternoon. Mr J. D. Humphreys, General Manager, presided, and there were also present-Capt. Clarke, Messrs A. H. Man'ell (Secretary), C. Tomlin, R. C. Wilcox, W. Parlane, H. Wicking, G. C. Cox, J. A. Jupp, J. S. Hagen, Hart Buck, E. K. Chandler, W. H. Potts. Geo. Fon-The Secretary read the notice calling the

wick, G. C. Master, and S. S. Benjamin." The Chairman said : Gentlemen, -The Report and Statement of Account having been in your hands since the 10th instant we will, with your permission, take them as read. You will have observed that the net profit shown for 1894, as made in Hongkong. China, London and Manila, is much less than that shown for 1893, and of course you expect some explanation of this circumstance. After careful examination I have come to the conclusion that although the 1893 net profits are fairly and acourately stated, the dollar results were to a large extent augmented by the improved value in eilver of the stocks of wines, spirits and other sterling Ho items which we then held and which had intended, therefore, to enter a nolle\_prose- been imported at a much higher rate of exchange. It would have perhaps been better trate was perfectly justified in committing it I had stated that at the last meeting, but the prisoner for trial, looking not only to very frequently our balance sheet is only the serious nature of the affair which in- brought out just in time to present to shareholders. You see we have to get the to show, by means of the stock from all parts of China and Manila, publicity given to the case; by this and before we close up we have the method of procedure, what grave whole of that in and there is just time result might arise from trivial mistakes of I to andit and give the proper notice of the meeting. On the other hand; as regards Attorney General or an Acting Attorney 1894, as may naturally be expected, the General to give reasons for enturing a nolle China and Jupan war has made a conproseque in cases of this kind; but he siderable difference to the net profits of thought the circumstances of the case jus- branches on the mainland, where a strong anti-foreign feeling prevailed. Tientain, Hankow and Foothow however show marked improvement on previous years. Manila has however shown less profit than the year before owing to keenness of competition in trade and the excessive quatoms duties: the gross returns, there have however increased. Profits have had to be out finer. right to use this obsolete and antiquated In Hongkong, owing to a further increase in the gross returns, our profits have His Lordship-I noticed myself, when I | come out very well except in about four stock road the depositions carefully, the long accounts, representing goods which are sold heading on the papers annexed to the by retail at wholesale prices. To such an deposition, and I trust they will see at the extent is this the case now at the present Magistracy that all these old papers are rates of exchange, that we have been obliged destroy d and the reference to the new to give up a good deal of wholesale business Act substituted. But that has nothing to except at full prices. I am sorry I do do with the marits of the case. I have not see Mr Henry Crawford and Mr Powell read the depositions very carefully, and I | here-both of whom are shareholders. They concur with you in saying that it is a case | could have confirmed me in this statement which the Magistrate was quite right in that the results are phenomenal when compared with the business during past years where one man meets his death directly in China. Most businesses of a similar chafrom the culpable negligence of another | rester to ours have scarcely or hardly more than paid their way, while I am quite sure, guilty of manslaughter. But the degree I have it from other storkeepers, that their profits have enormously fallen off during 1894. If you should be at all inclined to feel Magistrate in a doubtful matter, and disappointed with the result of the year and of course it must depend upon the wonder why it should be so, just put our special circumstances of each particular present retail prices into sterling and you You have had an opportunity of will see that many articles are sold at half going more fully into the matter; and I home rates, yielding only a small percentage cannot help thinking these men did most of the profit we used to obtain. In this contheir death from want of care on the part | acction you must also remember that most of the man, whom I believe to be the pri- of our goods have to be purchased in gold and

quickly sold. Last year was the most trying year to the staff we have ever ex-I perienced, as many as six of its members at serious character, throwing as you may well imagine a great pressure of work on the remainder, who however were fully equal to the strain through this crisis. I much redeath. The death record of the firm in Hongkong previously numbered one only. which occurred in 1846, an interval of 49 years. And now with reference to the asset set down in the Balance Sheet as Goodwill and Trade Marks \$100,000. I understand that a great many shareholders do not wish this to be shown as an asset, notwithstanding that this was the exact sum paid for it and that it is still worth the money and more; but I have no objection to write off this amount from the Permanent Reserve Fund it that step accords with the wishes of the shareholders present.

questions that you may wish to ask. Mr Wicking said he would like to ask a man had not alluded to in his speech, Did he think the present value of the Kowloon Lots could be realised ?. The Chairman-Yes: I think the time for realising it is repidly approaching, if it is thought advisable to realise it, which I strongly doubt. Kowloon is developing at a very rapid rate. I scarcely think that any of you can realise the rate at which it is developing. Humphreys Estate is thinking of building twenty houses over there. Mr Wicking said that was the reason he was alluding to this. It occurred to him that as they had had this property for five

Gentlemen, I shall be pleased to answer any

years there had been an accumulation of interest and taxes which would not be less than \$13,000. This sum added to the present depreciation of \$7,000 brought the total loss on this property to \$20,000. If it could be sold at present valuation it would be desirable to do so.

The Chairman-You must take everything together. That Kowloon property once belonged to me and also this property you are now in and Victoria Exchange. Now none of these properties were really bought by me for my personal use and robbed of much more than the difference in ront between a place outside and here.

because you want a business like this under the eye of trustworthy and competent men all the time in Chine. Mr Wicking -Th t should be a reason why we do not want to go to Kowloon, and because coolie hire would be so expensive. The Chairman-If you part with them you may not get them back again. Before very long, during the ensuing year, we shall want larger storage for any liquids in task, which have to be bettled, and pottling

at Kowloon, mind you, until we are fairly to say. -you see when this place was secured the That is a matter of ancient history. business had not grown up to what it is now; it did not require the premises, but it tion. does require the whole of them now. We could very well do with this place at tion. Kowlovn, but I was stating before the Mr Master-Well, without explanation. meeting commenced what I will repeat it does seem I must say peculiar that you now. On looking at these properties and as Mr J. D. Humphreys should have sold their big values you must take the three of to the Company, of which you are sole them together. I think that the properties General Manager, this property at \$39,000, in the Queen's Road have improved in value. a property which has not brought in one They were also purchased from me, because | single cent to the Company; and although as I say they were purchased by me for the it is written down to \$23,000 I put it to business and I think they have improved you, the purchase of this property not in value more than sufficient to enable you having turned out a success, whether you Kowloon pro erty from the books if you again yourself ! choose. There has been a greatly improved rental obtained recently since the lease be pleased to take the whole of the prothe Victoria Exchange fell in, and it gives us in addition to that a portion of the you bought them at. premises for our own use, which we have not needed, and enables us, for the time at all events to let the shop below remain as

Mr Wicking-I am much obliged for the explanation you have given us. Mr Master-I should like to sak a ques-

the Company. The Chairman—For the business, yer. Mr Mister-Well, you bought one in

The Chairman-I am sure I do not re-

lot, which was Kowloon Garden Lot No. 30. was split up into various Kowloon Inland | holding up your hands, Lots and small extra promiums charged. Kowloon In'and Lot 549 and Kowloon nland Lot 551 contained altogether 34,725 square feet and so you have still got or you have sold the diff rence between 34,000 odd square feet an 1 500,000 square feet. The Chairman-I am sure I have not the emolest ides. I cannot profess to carry all these figures in my head. If you had given notice I would have looked them up.

Mr Master-You will find that is so. Lot 550 you purchased in 1875 Well, the extra premiums that were paid for one of these three lots

The Chairman-I purchased it in 1875. did I? From whom? Mr Master-From Mr Engholm, for So. The Chairman-Yes: that was in the early days of Ko vloom. You seem to think you have got hold of a mare's nest. It never belonged to Mr Engholm; it belonged me. It was bought from Mr Engholm, who was then my manager, for the purposes of the business, and never belonged to him

were transferred by you to the Company The Chairman-On the then valuation made through the O moany's Solicitor. You might at least put in the whole story.

f. I have to re-explain these things ut every | once a year. annual meeting of the Company to every

I be annoyed by having to repeat the same | perty goes up to \$3 a foot. story year after year? Mr Master-Mr Humphreysas long as I am in the chair-Mr Master-I ask you to be polite.

The Chairman-I have said nothing that is not polite. Mr Master-You applied the term 10cent shareholder to me.

The Chairman-Well, I will say \$10 if you like it better. Mr Master - You have no right to apply that term to any shareholder.

The Chairman-You will be more considerate if you would look up and see if these things had been explained before. As I explained before, at the time there lots of road. were made over to the Compiny. I would have preferred to have secured only one of the lots, that is to say the lot on the Northern side of the road that bisects them | the adjoining lots? and purchased with them the lot belongless than \$1 a foot for the land. He was I think one lot might be built upon. ffered 75 cents a foot by me for it. I of public meetings or endeavour to put salt | houses upon them. mon their tails, might have the courtesy and the common decenoy to come in and swored, and the assets in reference to which the direction of building. There is really most agreeable to the hearing. He was,

vould like to make my statement. The Chairman-You are not anthorised to make any statement. I object to your

making any statement. You can ask any question. We do not want any statement. am the only person allowed to make a Mr Mester-Have you previously ex-

of these lands, and have they approved? The Chairman-I have already told you for money in Kowloon. Mr Mustor-This is the first time it has

been written down at all. I think ! The Chairman-Yes; it was written Mr Wicking-I think you said the re-

venue derived from the property on this

and that this balanced the other. The Chairman-I said the properties on this side it was not considered necessary to talus betaues it was considered unnecessary expense, but they can be valited if you further. I did tutend to pase a few rewish I they were also bought from me, I marks of a more cheerful character, but think, at pretty nearly the same time the think I have said all I need say. I will whole of the transactions occurred, and I therefore thank you for your attendance say they have increased in value-I am and may the dividend warrants will be

written of altogether. Mr Master-Well; Mr Humphroys, what sten y increase of the Business till it is I have to remark in reference to these lote large enough to lover our largely in this .- If the shareholders are thoroughly reduced profits, and amother would satisfied on to the purchase by the Company, he kies we get the question of exchause

starved out here and cannot any longer do! The Chairman-It does not matter whethe work in these premises; but I do think | ther they are satisfied at this date or not.

Mr Master-I say this without explana-

The Chairman—You have a full explana-

The Chairman-Undoubtedly : I should Mr Master-I am speaking of the Kow-

loon property. The Chairman - But I say - Don't pick out the exim milk and leave the cream. Mr Master-But I am speaking of the Kowlean property.

tion or two with reference to these Kowloon | the whole lot. You could not do without Lots. You state you bought these lots for these properties, and the answer to your well as yourself. Any more questions !

Mr Master-No. The Chairman-I will take the unusual course of calling for a show of hands. Are you perfectly satisfied with my statement Mr Master-I have looked it up. You with reference to the Kawloon property, bought it in 1875, and it contained 595,000 and do you think it is desirable the interests of the Company for that The Chairman-I date say you are right, properly to be retained? If you are of Mr Master-Subsequently, in 1888, this | that opinion, after the explanation I have given you. I shill feel obliged by your

> Ten hands were held up, Mr Mastor being the only dissentient. The Chairman-Now, gentlemen, I hope I have heard the last of that. I shall in any future case, request the Secretary to read the minutes of this meeting and any

> previous meetings at which referen e was made to the Kowloon property. Mr Master-You have heard the last of The Chairman—You know me perfectly

well, Mr Master, and you know you cou'd have got full information if you had come in and seen me. Mr Wicking has often gone | box ! to the Secretary for information; have you (to Mr Wicking) ever been refused? Mr Master-It is one thing going to the Secretary and another thing coming here. I believe in doing these things at the weeting of shareholders. I did not bring this forward with the least ill-will or with the slightest personal feeling towards yourself. I have not brought this up against you us Mr. Humphreys in your capacity as General Manager of this Company; I do not look Mr M.s'er-In 1890, these three lots at the thing in quite the same view as you do, and I came specially to this meeting to ask you about it. The shareholders will China-Japan treaty.

Mr Wicking-I have often medo enquiries at the Secretary, and I have always Mr Master-I put it to you in this way | found him exceedingly continues. I think -Why were not these lots transferred to you entirely mistook the manuar in which the Company when the Company was the questions were asked. You gave me a originally formed and it was part of the very detailed and a very excellent explanation which I think satisfactory, although I The Chairman - Because, as I have al- think it would be advantageous to the Comready explained to you, they were pany to sell this land at Kewloon and take already intended for the future develop- our chance of buying ground for a godewn if ment of the Company, and as I have required. The cost of coolis hire at Kowexplained some years ago, when the loon would be very great. That, is mercey circumstances were fresh in the memory an expression of opinion. This is the only of the then shareholders, -and mind you, | time we have of expressing our opinious

The Chairman-The Kowloon pro city 10-cent shareholder who chooses to come is exceedingly well situated for the purhere and repeat these questions year after poses of business if you ever need it. It is year, my position here would be unbearable, I in close communication with the Pier and and I would ask you to release me of it. Godown Company. I consider it is the This is a matter which—if you will look up | best business position should Kowloon ever the old reports, if you will look up the old become settled on any large scale which is statements-you will find all very clearly may in the future. I shall not be at all and fairly put before you, and why should surprised, if the railway comes, if this pro-Mr Parlane-Do you cons der that land

generally in Kowloon has depreciated in The Chairman-I have not finished, and value from the time \$30,000 was paid for The Chairman-Euormously; but it is

now rising again. It has been a drug or the market, and quite unsaleable; but that is a thing of the past. Lennld build over all the land on Humphreys' Estate, and could get tenants before the houses were Mr. Fenwick - Are those building sites ?

The Chairman-Yes. They face the Robinson Road as nearly opposite as can be or that road leading from the Wharf and Gedowns. To move goods into that would be a triling expense down that short length Mt Master-Won'd these three lots be

required to hold this building in the same way as the buildings that have been put on air of deference, even of humility, in his Mr Chairman - Oh, yea; there are some ing to Mr Rusario, but he would not accept lots, but the shareholders object to building. the House whose servant and yet whose Mr Master-These lots have remained think, I do think, that shareholders, without any building upon them since 1890. whether 10 cents or 10-dollars share. They have been unremunerative. They holders or any other shareholders, have braught in nothing to the Company. it they intend to lay traps for Chairmen Perhaps it would be a good thing to put

exectly, but there might be some building make a few preliminary inquiries, and if that could be realised which might that of the voice of any public man of our they find the questions which they pro- come within our articles and memorandum day. His speech was brief, but framed of posed to ask have been answered over and of association. I shall keep it before the choicest words, falling into vigorous and over and over again to the satisfaction of me; but I do not intend to run the balanced sentences, and delivered with an the meetings before which they were an- sightest risk in making any movement in exactness of emphasis and unhesitating case they propose to ask questions had been no less on any of the properties of the Com- in fact, an elecutionist, speaking with an thoroughly sifted over and over and over pany worth calling a loss. Even the pro- avt so finely studied that it became the again and passed at consecutive meetings perty at the Peak is worth more than is patural and unaffected expression of his of the shareholders over and over again, montioned in your books. That will turn own conception of the bonour of his office then there would be no object in raking out all right. That property will be and of the high traditions of the Commons. these things up except for the purpose of saleable, and I shall cortainly advocate the selling of it as soon as things are got Mr Master-Have you finished !- Now I | into form, which I think will be before the end of the present year.

turn on the capital already? The Chairman-Yes; you can get the figures in the office. Mr Wicking-For my part I certainly should not like to see the Company building houses at Kowloon for tenants. That plained to your shareholders the purchase should not be the policy of the Company. I do not think any one ever got 5 per cent

Mr Wicking Does it bring in a fair re-

The Chairman-I would now, if there are no further questions, propose the adoption of the report and statement of

Mr Muster seconded. Agreed unanimonaly. Mr Fonwick proposed and Oapt. Clarks side was stated as considerably under value, | apponded the re-election as auditor of M 8. G. Bird,

Aureod. The Chaleman-Gentleman, I do no think it is necessary for me to ear anything willing to stand to that statement suffi- ready at 11 o'clock on Monday. I believe ciently to allow of the Kowloon, lot being that two things will help us to get back to our old dividends, one is continued and

space, but I do not propose to do anything at this date, then there is nothing more to rectified. That really is the only difficulty. We should have been able to give you by before the tones had finished their reverthis time 25 per cent dividends instead of 9 per cent. If exchange had remained at the old rate, with the business we are doing now, it would have meant at least 25 per cent dividend

A vote of thanks to the Chairman, proposed by Mr Wicking, terminated what was the liveliest shareholders' meeting since the Punjom maetings of several months ago.

> CANTON. (From a Correspondent).

The want of rain is felt very much in the to write them up and to write out your are prepared to take the property back interior. The Chinese farmers have lost all hope of saving their first crop. Clanfights have been frequent owing to the river perties back to-morrow at the same price being diverted from its natural course to water the fields so that enough of rice Mr W. H. Smith, the then Leader of the Mr J. G. Buckle might be obtained for food.

> Mr Lay, Deputy Commissioner of Customs, has left here to relieve Mr Unwin at Kiungchow. Mr Unwin goes home The Chairman-Well. I am speaking of on a well-earned holiday. While Canton he was famed for his devotion to was about, held his ground, looking an- Mr H. U. Jeffries temark would apply to other gentlemon as | duty and for his unfailing courtesy to the

> > The river steamer Companies have issued a notice to passengers intending to go to Rongkong, stating that the Hongkong Government is very strict in trying to prevent the arrival of plague cases, and intimating that anyone suffering from compelled the House into outward calm; Mr H. Boetel sickness should keep away from the Colony as they might be subjected, to in- his whole miss that of grim determination Mr Hart Buck convenience by being placed under observation. As yet there have been no signs of

The new Viceroy has not yet taken over charge. The Chinese say that his prodecessor, Li Han Chang had a big purse, a further difficulty. The point was as to Dr R. Eiswaldt which he filled very well before he left, but the new Viceroy is not content with purse; he comes provided with a large iron

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

Supplied to the 'China Mail.'?

JAPAN AND THE POWERS. It is stated that a final arrangement has been Concluded between Japan, Russia, France and Germany in regard to the

THE FRENCH IN MADAGASCAR. The advance guard of the French army marching on Antananarivo has arrived at lamid a scene of hoisterous confusion, the

GERMANY AND BI-METALLISM The Prussian Upper House has adopted a resolution calling on the Government to act promptly in settling the currency queebi-metallism.

FINAL RESIGNATION OF COUNT KALNOKY.

Count Kalnoky has finally resigned. being unable to arrange his difference with the Premier of Hungary.

THE PEEL SPEAKERSHIP.

SOME SCENES AND INCIDENTS. It may be permissible -writes A Young Parliamentary Hand -to jut down a few impressions of Mr Arthur Peel, and to recove from forgetfulness some of the incidents of his Spiakership. I pass over the first two years of his tenure of office ; for during the as I had no apportunities of personal observation. My first view of him was on the afternoon of the 5th of August, 1886, when for the third time he-was elected Speaker of the Commons—' thrice within thirty months'-as he felicitously said, And the impression then engraved, on the mind was of a man of commanding dignity, of superb self-passession, of easoful matery of himself and any set of circumstances in which be might be placed. There was an bearing and he stood on the lower step of the chair, submitting himself to the will of master he had again become; but the keynote of the man was in his dignity of car- offenders against the Chair; though I must riage. Nature had marked him out for a position of authority. In height and erectness of figure, in the poiss of the head, and in the boldly sculptured features he personified the qualities of command. His voice The Chairman-We are not builders was sonorous, perfect in pitch, and with a neculiar metallic resonance utterly unlike

> THE 'OBDER! OBDER!' OF ME PEEL. His voice and his use of it were, in eed remarkable. There were three ways in which he would call the House to order; and the least of the three was instinct with a dignified eloquence. In the first the words 'Order ! Order !' would be uttered in a low tone, but yet with sufficient clearness and penetration to be heard in every quarter of the House. It was a note of guidance rather than of reproof--- summoning, so to speak, of the wandering or his first election for Kirkouldy Burghe :distracted attention of the House to the subject in hand or the orator who was essaying to throw light upon it. Its chief quality was that of persuasiveness. In the second the volume of sound was doubled the persuantyeness was left out; the words were uttared with more energy, quickness, and sharpness of emphasis; remonstrance and admonition, with a faint colouring of anger, were thrown into the fuller tones, In the third manner-used only when the Mr Barry, House was getting out of hand of when a recalcitrant member was trying to dely or evade the ruling from the Chair-the Order | Order ! would be loudly imperative, menacing in its flerceness, ringing with sternness and anger, and compelling the House to subjection. In this mood the voice of Mr. Paul had raush the same effect upon the House as a vigorously wield:

ed whip cracked about the ears of a dis-

obedient dog. There were few members

whom it did not inomentarily now into a

withdrawal or apology; and if the whole

House were in fault because of nelsy dis-

orderliness, absolute silence would reign berations through the Chamber,

MR PARNELL AT BAY.

Perhaps the stormical scenes of recent years (always excepting the free fight of Mr W. J. Canter 1893, which took place in Committee, and Mr C. Cr spin never would have occurred had Mr Puel Mr W. A. Duff been in the chair), were antecedent to the Mr J. B. Duncan appointment of the Special Commission of Mr F. H. England Judges to try the Times' charges against Mr Frege the Parnellites. The air was then highly Mr G. Fenwick charged with partisan electricity, and Mr Mr E. W. George Peel had to assert his authority with all Mr C. Harris. the energy and severity of voice and man- | Mr A. Hawley ner he could command. I remember one Miss Hawthorns night in particular during the summer Mr C. Holmstrom 1888. Mr Parnell had come in Mr J. Kinghorn during question-time-slipping in unob. Mr R. King served. as was his wont, and taking his seat on the third bonch below the gangway, speaking to no one, and the members on his right and left daring not to speak to him. Mr Mr F. H. Bell Sexton had in an angry manner been asking Dr. F. H. Bowers tlouse, some awkward questions about the Miss Coe introduction of the Charges and Allegations Bill ; and Mc Smith had unwittingly drawn upon himself the passionate shouting of the Irish member by attempting to answer one Mr A. Hill question before Mr Sexton had finished. Mr Geo. Holmes Mr Smith, not knowing what the shouting Mrs Geo. Holmes xiously first to his own followers and then to ! the Irish benches. He was no match for Major and Mrs G. K Mr A. G. Stokes cut-and-thrust work with Mr Saxton as interrogator: and in the excitement of the moment he blundered by precipitately commencing an answer. Mr Sexton remained standing; the Nationalists howled at Mr Mrs J. Acheson and Miss Galfre Smith; the supporters of the Government vehemently cheered their leader; and the Mr and Mrs ArthurMr and Mrs R. Sale House was in an uproor. The Speaker but meanwhile Mr Parnell, with face paler | Major & Mrs Garnett Mrs Hillier, children than usual from suppressed excitement and | Botfield, R.A. to give vent to the bitterness within him, Mr and Mrs C. C. children and nurse. had risen three or four times and essayed to speak. A little later he gained an oppor- Dr. and Mrs J. Can-Mr MoNeill tunity, and in measured but acrid tonesthe very calm of which bore witness the Mr and Mrs CharlesMr H. E. Meyerink more fercibly to the intensity of his feelings | Cohen -asked a question which put Mr Smith in Mr J. B. Coughtrie when the Bill would be printed and what Mr Henry Crawford Mr H. E. Tomkins facilities the Government would give for its discussion. A volley of angry cheering broke out from the Irish benches, and counter cheering from the Guvernment side. Mr G. W. Allen Mr Smith retorted by saying that it was for Mr Amaterse Mr Parnell to accept the Bill, and that if Mr F. Angus he did accept it, it would be printed forth- Mr L. Best with; but he would not give facilities for Mr J. W. Brown debuting it. Mr Parnell was visibly Mr and Mrs W. G.Mr Camille Reval augered and excited by the reply. Springing to his feet under the influence of an Miss Cynthia Carey excitement he could not control, he moved Miss Dot Carey the adjournment of the House. The Speaker, in low but measured tones, preg- Mr Herro- Crallnant with a deeper meaning than the sim- Mr E. H. Derrick ple words he used would ordinarily bear, Mr Durant said that this would be out of order, and Mr F. Ezckiel gave his reasons. Mr Parnell explained Mr J. B. Farrell his intention. The Speaker rose and ruled him out of order. Again Mr Parnell rose and tried to speak, his followers cheering him on, the Ministeri lists shou ing angry cries of 'Order !' For a few moments, Speaker of the House and the leader of the Nationalists stood face to face in conflict. It o'clock service on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sun-Suddenly Mr Parnell sat down, the very | days in the month. Evensong at 5 45, Where he went and where he dined at any and 6 P.M. time were mysteries into which oven his

harangue in denunciation of the conduct of the Government. SUSPENSIONS AND REPRIMANDS. Mr Peel has had the happy faculty of not sering and hearing everything that might have justified the exercise of the punitive nowers vested in him by the new Rules; but when he less thought it moumbent upon him to not, his notion has been swift and sure. In 1887 several members came into collision Rome. Service on Sunday, at 11 Au. and with his authority. In the debate on the 6.80 P.M. The Holy Communion is administer-Crimes Bill of that year, Colonel Saunder- | ed on the 1st and 3rd Sandays in the month at son bracketed the Irish members with the 11 A.M.; on the 2nd and 5th at 7.80 A.M.; and murderers egainst whom the Bill was on the 4th, at the Evening Service. directed, and was badly stigmatized Westevan Methodist Chuson.-Chaplain, as a liar by Mr Tim Healy. The redoubtable Tim refused to withdraw at the Lau, and 6 r.u. in the Wesleyon Church, Wanimmediate bidding of the Speaker, and was chaipromptly named and auspended. Later

night no returned, and to a House densely

in the Bession Mr Healy charged Mr Do Lisle with interrupting him, called him to 'come outside if he were a man,' and threatened to 'break his neck.' The inevitable suspension followed this time for a fortnight. In this session, also, Mr Outling. ham Graham was suspended for persisting in disrespectful allusions to the conduct of the | nu London-Lords; Dr Tanner was reboked for the use of coaras language in the lobby to Mr W. Long; and Mr E. Harrington suspended for accusing the Speaker of waiting for onportunitien to 'pounce' upon him. But since 1887 matters have quieted down. Dr Tagner and Mr Conybears have been the Chief not forget Mr Labouchere, who, when the Clevelund street scandals were discussed (in 1893), Itankly disavowed his belief in Lord Salisbury's veracity, and, refusing apologize, carned the glory of suspensionaff cting the most delightful subservience | On Bombayto the Speaker, by strolling out of the House with the sauciness of an unlicked schoolboy. Incidents of this kind try the mettle and On Oslouttatemper of a Speaker; but still greater tact has to be shown in repressing disorder arising out of excited lauguage by individual On Shanghai members. Whoever remembers the scenes that took place when Mr T.P. O'Connor yelled 'Julas ! Judas !' while Mr Parnell was Gold Loaf, 100 fine (per tast)

section of will-power, saved the House from the discopute of prolonged disorder. THE SPEAKER'S SENSE OF HUMOUR.

when Colonel Saunderson denounced that

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times when the Speaker, by the sheer as-

Humour is not generally supposed to be a characteristic of Mr Peel. Once Mr John Barry (formerly member for Wexford) Humidity ... thought he would give Mr Peel a cause for Direction of laughter which could not be resisted. had introduced Mr Dalziel to the House on There's a difference in the spelling of the member's name, Sir,' said Mr Barry, rofer-

Speaker gravely. It's an ell of a difference, Sir, replied the member for Wexford. 1 beg your pardon! said the Speaker. fixing his eyes severely upon Mr Barry. it's an 'ell of a difference, Bir,' repeated

What is the difference?" maked the

ring to the writ.

I beg your pardon, Sir, said the Speaker again, with a volce like the ring of a steel hammer on a block of granite. li'a an ell of a difference, pleaded Mr Barry- an ell of a difference. 1 lieg your pardon again, Sir l' replied Mr Prel, with rising thunder in his tones. Well Sirlet to an 'ell of a difference, In writing Mr. Daltiel's name some one has left out the it is the middle. Not a muscle of the Spanker's face relax.

He bowed Mr Barry severely from the

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BY AN OLD FOREY. · Putt yourr rright tutt morre back, man, swing, an' keep yourr test gie ye morre peare, "are children of an idle brain." If both the doctor and the poet are right it follows that risin a wee bit on yourr left gie ye morre was my first appearance on any golf green, idle brains are unhealthy brains. No doubt and the above sentence was rolled out at me there might be truth in the inference, but that in the doctor's broadest Lowlands Scoleb. is not quite the point. Are all dreams signs of (I cannot reproduce it.) I had decided to a diseased condition? To this the doctor says try the game, and with Surgeon-Colonel "No." He divides dreams into two classes; Mucfarlane, A.M.S., as my instructor, was those started by noises or other causes outside making a nervous and painful début. After the sleeper, and those produced by pain, fever, the sentence given Above, I strained every for indigestion. nerve and muscle I possessed-made a wild Here we inject a fact. We receive multitudes nerve and muscle I possessed—inside a with demi-semi cliptic circle with my club, when demi-semi cliptic circle with my club, when identical words: "I was worse tired in the mornident teeling all down my spine and a doctor has an answer. He says, "I'hen we dismal sense of abject furture pervaded my feel wearied in the morning very likely it whole being, for there lay my hall secure on results from dreams that we have forgotten." the tottering tee provided by my dog-boy. Quite so. Ye've missed the ba' because ye tuk your in other words there is a bodily condition eye off it,' commented my friend. With a which may prevent a person from working by crushed feeling of impotence very different day at his usual calling, but obliges him to to my jaunty demeanour of a few minutes labour all night under a mental stimulus of which before, I started again under a running fire he knows nothing save by its resulting exhausof directions given in that incomprehensible tion. These uninappy wretches toil larder, dislect of the doctor's. Once more I ex. therefore, for no compensation, when they are dislect of the doctor's. Once more 1 expense perienced a sickening moment of suspense they are well. What an infernal and frightful thus trench ploughed in the sand which had huge trench ploughed in the sand which had huge trench ploughed in the sand which had huge trench ploughed in the sand which had their physical suffering at all times. "Night," plentifully bespattered both of us, and the said Coloridge, "is my helt." ball lurking among stubby tufts of grass a From one of the letters referred to we quote yard or two away. Ye'd better use a what a woman says of her daughter: "She was cleek,' and another dreadful instrument was worse tired in a marning than when she went thrust into my hand by the imperturbable to bed." Poor girl. Those "forgotten dreams" doctor. More directions, a swish, and I had tossed her about as a ship is tossed in a had sliced'- (the word is the doctor's)-the tempest. Night was her day of inhour. ball into the irreclaimable depths of a rocky nullah, or ' bunker, ' hard by. We descended | 1830, my daughter Ann Elizabeth became low, its perilous bank, and then ensued the most | weak, and fretful, and complained of pain in the awesome episode of my career. The white chest after eating. Next her stomach was so awesome episode of my career. The white irritable that she youited all the food she took. piece of diabolical gutta-percha, called by courtesy, a ball, perched on inaccessible three weeks nothing passed through her stomach ledges, hopped between rooks, poised itself except a little sods water and lime water. Later towards the top only to strike the sides from dropsy. She was now pale as death and again and roll back. Meanwhile, there looked as though she had not a drop of blood in flowed from me a steady stream of profanity her body, and was always cold. Month after of the most lurid and awesome type. I am month dragged by and she got weaker every not a great swearer as a sule, but on this day. She could not walk without support, for occasion the air became thick and sultry she had lost the proper use of her legs, and her with my imprecations and expletives. I body swayed from side to side as she moved. agon exhausted all those I knew, or had A doctor attended her for twelve months, heard of and then set to work to compose and finally said it was no use giving her any new ones. At length, after many ineffectual shots with a murderous looking | She got no better there, and I thought I was weapon called a 'mashie,' I dislodged it from surely going to lose her. She was then thirteen a bad 'lie' and landed eventually a few feet years of age. away on level ground. As we emerged "One day a lady (Mrs. Lightoller) called at like face, he seemed to have taken it very and can take any kind of food. After she had ealthly. Probably being a galfer ha had taken the Syrap only two weeks the neighboursgone through the same in his day, and he were surprised at her improved appearance and grew quite excited over my ball's 'lie,' as I told them what had brought it about—that he called it. Having landed near the Seigel's Syrup had done what the doctors could brown with his stroke from the tee he could not do, it saved her life. Yours truly, (Signed),

hand, mon, get under the baras it were, 1892." and the wind will corry it on the brown.' tried to follow his instructions, with the rethe ground like a swallow for about 60 yards-then it headed for a clump of bushes and lay there, while prickly pear, lantana and other noisome herhs had to be trampled under foot to enable me to play my close proximity to the hole. After a most of Mother Seigel's Curativo Syrap, successful putt, I found I had done the , hole in 28 strokes, 'a record,' as the doctor grimly remarked. The rest of that round is bazy to me now-(1 won our last handicap in brilliant style minus 2 points!)-but survey; not a treg that did not check its Thomas Komer, Victoria Chambers, 19, Southhertling career; not a bush that did not ampton Buildings, Helbern, London. have to yield to judicious stemping on the part of the doctor, before I could play my stroke: not a mud wall that did not stay to negociate it, with 'lofters,' 'frons,' mashie, 'niblicks,' and the like, till my tongue ached with mouthing the names of outlandish implements, and my brain resled as I must have flung my toys ball a century stitutes. ago. Then-having be-littled myself in shameful degradation before that sphynxlike dootsman, the doctor-I crawled to the Cinb an abased and miserable man in my own eyes, having left my last rags of self-respect for away in the first bunker. -Madras Mail.

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from the bunker I gozed shamefucedly at my shop, and seeing how had my daughter was, my companion. In that suitry quarter of spoke of a medicine called Mother Seigel's Curaan hour I had cursed golf-Scotland, all tive Syrup, and persuaded us to try it. I got a Scotchmen, the whole of the Macfarlenes bottle from the Thornhill Lees Co-operative from the Flood down to the man beside me. Stores, and she began taking it. In two days man, woman, and child, their connections | she found a little relief; the sickness was not so and descendants! Hovever, beyond a slight- frequent. She kept on with the Syrup and ly strained expression on his calm sphynx-

offord to devote himself-to my maiden of (Mrs.) SAMAH ANN SHEARD, 19, Brewery Lune, forts. 'Hand your cleek light in your right | Thornhill Lees, near Dewsbury, October 11th, The inciting cause of all this young girl's pitiful suffering was indigestion and dyspepsia, sult that my ball netually tose and akimmed dropsy being one of its most dangerous sympand often fatal results being due to the fact that

physicians usually treat the symptoms instead of the discuse itself. "A child's dreams," says Dr. Richardson, "are signs of disturbed health and should be stroke. The whole was by this time too regarded with anxiety." The same is true of near for any one but an idiot to miss it, the dreams of older people. They mean poisen so I found myself on the 'brown' in in the stomach and point to the immediate use

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at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND Godown Co., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Under-

signed before Noon on the 23rd Inst., or THOMAS' they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 22nd Lust, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 23rd Instant will be subject to rent.

Consignees will be required to sign an Average Bond before taking delivery of their Cargo. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SHEWAN & Co.,

Ayents. Hongkong, May 16, 1895

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP BRAEMAR, FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND

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Hongkong, May 13, 1835.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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Bills of Lading will be countersigned by he Undersigued. Goods remaining unclaimed after Tues-DAY, the 21st Tuetant, at Noon, will be ubject to rent, and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or pefore Tuesday, the 21st Instant, or they will not be recognised.

All Damaged Packages will be examined on Tuesday, the 21st Instant, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. C. TOURNAIRE,

Acting Agent. --Hongkong, May 14, 1895. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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